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1. On 16 November 1953,                      the guest house of the KVP camp at Gross Rampe was scheduled to be enlarged. The camp is located on Buchholzer Strasse in Berlin-Niederschonenhausen near the freight station and consists of single-story buildings, temporary buildings, and several five-story buildings.

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2. On 24 November,                      sections of three prefabricated houses in the area about 500 meters northwest of the Berlin-Hoppegarten elevated train station. As early as October 1953, the site had been inspected and surveyed by KVP officers. Since October, the site has been cleared of trees.

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3. On 5 December,                      the Bau Union Potsdam was to erect 12 temporary buildings for the KVP in Falkensee. Four of the buildings were to be set up still in 1953 at a cost of 230,000 eastmarks. Work on the other buildings was scheduled to be started in January 1954. The order for the buildings was placed by the Ministry of the Interior.

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           Comment. The guard battalion of the HVDVP was previously stationed at the Gross Rampe Camp. This is the first information that this complex of barracks buildings is scheduled to be taken over by the KVP. It is still unknown whether KVP or VP units will use the installations at Berlin-Hoppegarten and Falkensee.